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Treatment Of Diabetes Mellitus

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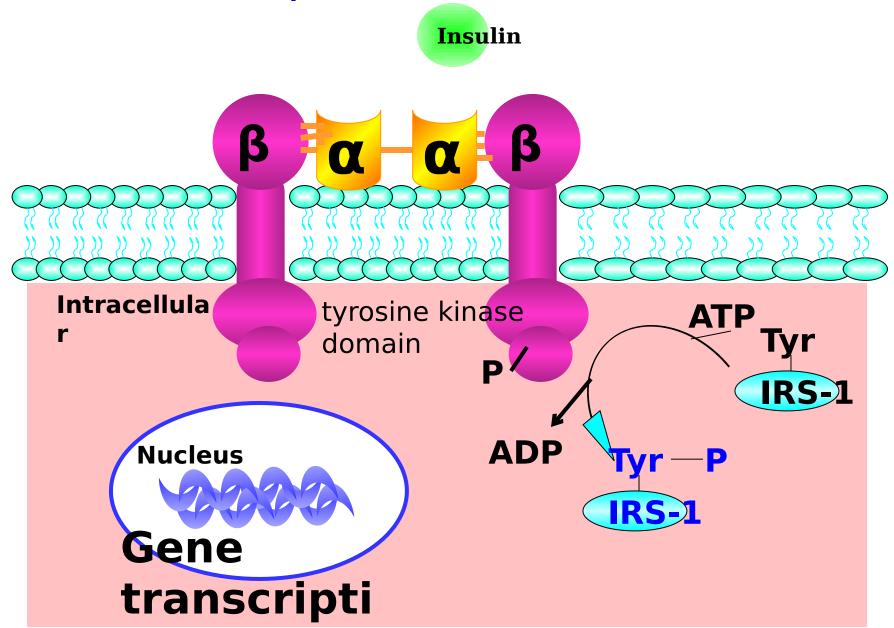
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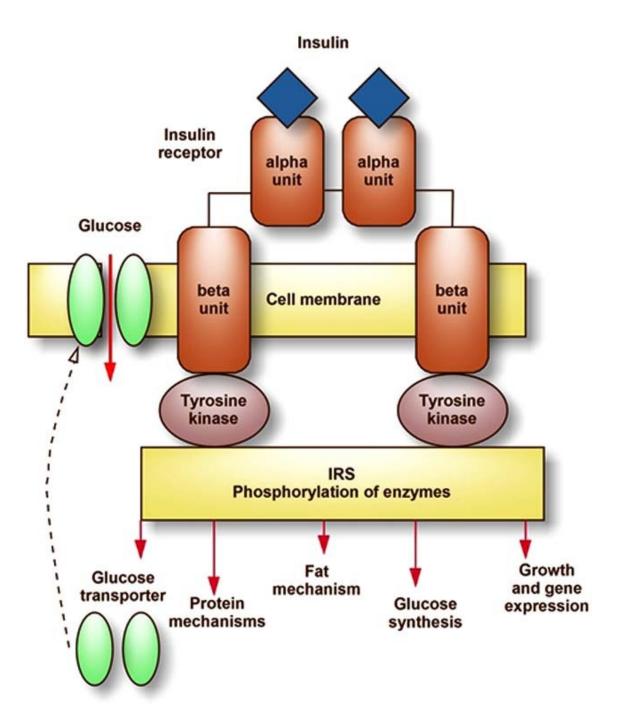
By the end of this lecture the student will be

able to:

- 1. Identify the mechanism of action of Insulin
- Explain the adverse effects of insulin preparations
- 3. Outline a plane of therapeutic drug management of emergency cases in diabetes mellitus
- 4. Identify the preparations of the antidiabetic drugs
- 5. Explain the drug drug interactions of the antidiabetic drugs
- 6. Compare between incretin mimetics &

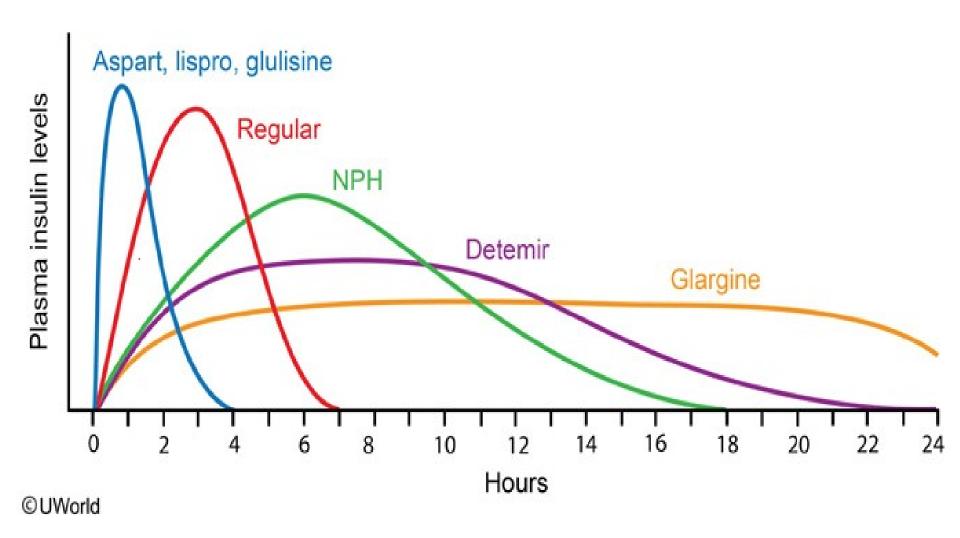
Insulin Receptor





| Type of preparation | Onset | Peak | Duratio n |
|---|------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1) Ultrashort Acting Insulin Lispro Insulin Aspart | 5-15 min | 30-90 minute s | 4-6 hrs |
| 2) Short Acting Crystalline Zinc Insulin (soluble, regular) | 30-60 min | 2-3 hours | 6-8 hrs |
| 3) Intermediate Acting Isophane (NPH= neutral protamine hagedorn) | 2-4 hours | 4-10 hrs | Up to 18 hrs |
| 4) Long Acting Insulin Glargine Insulin Detemir Prof. Omayma Khorshid | 2-4 hours 1-2 hours | No peak No peak | Up to 24 hrs 16-24 hrs |

Pharmacokinetic profiles of common insulin preparations



Regimens of insulin therapy



A. <u>Split-mixed regimen:</u> Regular + NPH insulin

dose split to 2 parts; 2/3 given 30 min before breakfast, 1/3 before supper to prevent overnight hyperglycemia.

B. Multiple daily injections:

insulin glargine given to achieve a more stable basal activity. Regular insulin must be given in three premeals injections (30 min prior to each meal).



- Lispro insulin Have a shorter duration of action than regular insulin and so less risk of postprandial hypoglycemic events
- The most common premixed insulin injection:
 - 70% NPH insulin and 30% regular insulin it must *never be injected IV ???*
- insulin glargine cause less nocturnal hypoglycemia and less weight gain.

Adverse Effects of insulin preparation



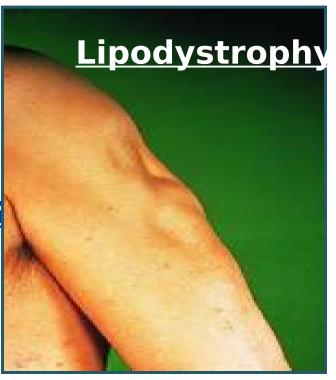
1) Hypoglycemia:

MOST **Serious** & **Common** in an overdose

- 2) Lipodystrophy.
- 3) Allergic reactions

(less common with human insulin)

4) Hypokalemia





The insulin receptor is a:

- (a) Ion channel regulating receptor
- (b) Tyrosine protein kinase receptor
- (c) G-protein coupled receptor
- (d) PPAR gama receptor



The most common adverse reaction to insulin is:

- (a) Hypoglycaemia
- (b)Lipodystrophy
- (c) Urticaria
- (d) Angioedema



Which of the following preparations can be administered intravenously in diabetic ketoacidosis?

- (a) Regular insulin
- (b) Isophane insulin (NPH)
- (c) Insulin Glargine
- (d) Insulin Zinc Suspension



A 24-year-old woman with type 1 diabetes wishes to try tight control of her diabetes to improve her long-term prognosis. Which of the following regimens is most appropriate?

- (a) Morning injection of mixed NPH and Insulin Glargine
- (b) Evening injection of mixed regular and NPH Insulin
- (c) Morning and evening injections of regular insulin
- (d) Morning injection of Insulin Glargine and supplemented
 - by regular insulin injections pre-meals
- (e) Morning injection of insulin lispro and evening injection of NPH insulin

Indications of insulin



- 1) Type 1 (IDDM).
- 2) Diabetic ketoacidosis.
- 3) Type 2 (NIDDM) with:
 - Failed oral hypoglycemic ttt [] type 1
 - Temporarily: infections.
 - surgery.
 - pregnancy.

Hypoglycemic coma

It is due :to

Excess insulin or too little food intake or missing meal

Too much muscular exercise.



Treatment

☐ If patient is <u>conscious</u> →Oral glucose or sweets.



If patient in <u>Coma</u> = <u>Uncons</u>
I.V. Glucose 25% → Life saving.
Glucagone 1 mg S.C. or I.M. if
glucose is not available.



Diabetic ketoacidosis

- Regular insulin I.V:

 (20 units bolus then □ 0.1 unit /Kg /hr)
- I.V fluids: Saline then □glucose 5% if glucose < 250 mg/dl
- KCI added to I.V fluids (if hypokalemia)
- NaHCO₃ I.V (if acidosis)



Anti-diabetic Drugs in Type 2 DM

Anti-diabetic Drugs for type DM

- Insulin secretagogues (Increase insulin release)
 Sulfonylureas or Meglitinides (Glinides).
- Insulin sensitizers (improve insulin action)
 Biguanide (metformin)or ThiaZolidineDiones(Glitazone
- Modify intestinal absorption of carbohydrate Alpha-glucosidase inhibitor.
- Sodium-glucose cotransporter 2(SGLT2) inhibitorial Canagliflozin & Dapagliflozin (Renal glucose reabsorption)

Anti- diabetic drugs

Drug Mechanism of action

Main side effects

Route

classification

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|--|--|---|--|-------|
| Insulin secretagogue s Sulfonylure as | Glyburide (may allowed in pregnancy) Glipizide or glimperide (safer in renal) | •Increase Insulin Release bind to SUR1 in β-cell pancreas blocks the ATP- dependent K channels depolarization Ca influx insulin release | Hypoglycemia. Weight gain. Drug interactions | oral |
| Insulin secretagogue s Glinides (Meglitinides) | Repaglinide Nateglinide | Increase Insulin Release Short duration before each meal | Less hypoglycemia. Weight gain. | oral |
| INSULIN SENSITIZERS Biguanides (Euglycemic) | Metformin (Anorexia [] reduce weight) | Increase uptake and utilization of glucose by muscle & fat cells Decrease Glucose absorption Decrease glucose production by liver Increase insulin binding (to receptors) & action | Nausea, vomiting & diarrhea. Decrease Vit. B12 absorption Rarely <u>fatal</u> <u>lactic acidosis</u> (In renal &hepatic dysfunction , HF, COPD & alcoholic) | oral |
| INSIIIIN | Dioglitazon | Stim DDAR -v | • Henatotoxicity/ | oral |

Sulfonylureas

Salicylates

Sulfonamide

warfarin

Displace sulfonylureas from plasma proteins **Allopurinol**

Probenecide

Decrease urinary excretion of sulfonylureas or their metabolites

Increased hypoglycemic action of sulfonylurea drugs

Reduce hepatic metabolism of sulfonylureas

Azole antifungal clarithromycin

| classification | Drug | Mechanism of action | Main side effects | Route of admin. |
|---|---|--|--|-----------------|
| α- Glucosidase Inhibitors | Acarbose and Miglitol Miglitol is 5-6 times > potent | Decreasing glucose absorption so decrease postprandial hyperglycemia | flatulence, diarrhea, and abdominal cramping. | oral |
| Incretin Mimetics GLP-1 analog [] stimulate GLP-1 receptor (GLP-1-RA) | • Exenatide • Liraglutide (with CV Safety except in severe HF) | ↑ insulin release ↓ glucagon release Delay Gastric emptying ↓ Appetite. □ ↓ ↓ weight | •Risk of hypoglycemia with sulphonylurea | S.C. inject |
| Incretin Enhancers DPP-4 inhibitor (DPP-4 i) | • Sitagliptin • Linagliptin (safer in renal) (eliminated via | ↑ insulin release ↓ glucagon release Delay Gastric | Pancreatitis Saxagliptin □ ↓ cardiac contractility □ risk of HF | oral |



Which of the following drugs is most likely to cause hypoglycemia when used as monotherapy in the treatment of type 2 diabetes?

- (a)Acarbose
- (b)Glyburide
- (c) Metformin
- (d) Miglitol
- (e) Rosiglitazone



Sulfonylureas are a primary mode of therapy in the treatment of

- (a) Insulin-dependent (type 1) diabetes mellitus (DDM) patients
- (b) Diabetic patients experiencing severe hepatic or renal dysfunction
- (c) Diabetic pregnant women
- (d) Patient with diabetic ketoacidosis
- (e) Non-insulin-dependent (type 2) DM patients



The hypoglycaemic action of sulfonylureas is likely to be attenuated by the concurrent use of

- (a) Hydrochlorothiazid
- (b) Propranolol
- (c) Chloramphenicol
- (d) Aspirin



It is strongly recommended to measure (initially & periodically) the liver enzyme levels of patients on which of the following medication:

- a) Metformin.
- b) Miglitol.
- c) Repaglinide
- d) Pioglitazone
- e) Exenatide.



A 60-year-old male, alcoholic, treated for type II diabetes mellitus develops lactic acidosis. Which of the following oral antidiabetic agents might cause this adverse effect?

- a) Glipizide.
- b) Metformin.
- c) Nateglinide.
- d) Acarbose.
- e) Glimepiride



Metformin:

- (a) Does not cause hypoglycemia even in large doses
- (b) Should not be combined with glipizide
- (c) Is contraindicated in obese NIDDM patients
- (d) Causes release of insulin from the pancreas



Select the drug which tends to reverse insulin resistance by increasing cellular glucose transporters:

- (a) Glibenclamide
- (b)Rosiglitazone
- (c) Acarbose
- (d) Prednisolone



Which of the following is true about acarbose?

- (a) It increases absorption of glucose from intestine
- (b) It produces hypoglycaemia in normal as well as diabetic subjects
- (c) It limits postprandial hyperglycaemia in diabetics
- (d) It raises circulating insulin levels



The second generation sulfonylurea differ from the first generation one in that they

- (a) Are more potent
- (b) Are long acting
- (c) Do not lower blood sugar in nondiabetics subject
- (d) Are less prone to cause hypoglycaemic reaction



Which of the following is an Incretin Enhancers which acts by inhibition of DPP-4 enzyme?

- a) Glipizide
- b) Liraglutide
- c) Canagliflozin
- d) Repaglinide
- e) Linagliptin



Which of the following is a GLP-1 receptor agonist and considered as Incretin Mimetics?

- a) Glyburide
- b) Liraglutide
- c) Glipizide
- d) Nateglinide.
- e) Sitagliptin



Which of the following inhibits Sodium-glucose cotransporter 2 and decreases the glucose reabsoption in the kidney?

- a) Glyburide
- b) Exenatide
- c) Canagliflozin
- d) Nateglinide.
- e) Saxagliptin



Excessive use of Glimepiride will lead to:

- (a) Diarrhea
- (b) Prolonged hypoglycemia
- (c) Tolerance to alcohol
- (d) Acidosis
- (e) Glycosuria

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